

Joint Intervention In Mexico Urged

RAILROAD UNIONS WILL MAKE PLUMB PLAN BIG ISSUE IN 1920 PRESIDENTIAL ELECTION

LABOR LEADERS TO TOUT McADOO FOR PRESIDENCY

GLENN E. PLUMB DECLARES
REPUBLICAN PARTY IS
NEAR SHOALS.

Public Interests In Roads Must Be Safe

Membership in League Growing at
Rate of 2,000 a Day it
is Reported.

Washington, Dec. 27.—With the final word said by the president on the return of the railroads, the railroad unions are preparing to make the Plumb plan one of the big issues of the 1920 election.

Glenn E. Plumb, author of the plan and also general counsel for the railway brotherhoods, refused today to discuss the possible political effect of the president's proclamation on organized labor but said:

"The principles of the Plumb plan will be the leading issue in the next election. They are bound to be. The solution of the railroad problem affects every man and woman in the country.

"If congress passes legislation that protects railway securities at the expense of the public, the rebound will sweep away the chances of the Republican party in the 1920 campaign. The Democratic party will not be responsible. The Democratic congressmen who vote with the Republican majority will be held responsible as individuals.

"The Plumb plan league is going along by leaps and bounds. Applications are coming in at the rate of 2,000 and 3,000 a day. It is a mistake to think that interest in the league is centered in the middle west and northwest. The state showing the greatest activity in its behalf is Pennsylvania and the New England membership is growing remarkably."

Talks with labor leaders disclosed that the railway workers hope for the Democratic party to nominate Wm. G. McAdoo for president on a platform declaring for government control of the railroads with the workers sharing in the management.

RALPH D. COLE WILL BE CANDIDATE FOR GOVERNOR OF OHIO

Findlay, O., Dec. 27.—Former Congressman Ralph D. Cole today announced his candidacy for the Republican nomination for governor in letters to the Hancock county Republican central and executive committees, which endorsed him Dec. 4. Cole spent four years in the state legislature and six years in congress, and during the world war served overseas as a lieutenant colonel in the Thirty-seventh division. Eighteen counties have endorsed him for governor.

In his letter Mr. Cole says: "We have reached a grave crisis in the history of the republic. The sovereignty and independence of the nation must be maintained; law and order must be preserved, and strict economy be exercised in the administration of public business. To this end, I believe that our country demands Republican leadership."

WILSON TO CELEBRATE 63RD BIRTHDAY

Washington, Dec. 27.—President Wilson will celebrate his 63rd birthday tomorrow. The occasion will be quietly observed at the White House. Numerous messages of congratulations have already been received.

One year ago the president observed his birthday in England. The president was born Dec. 28, 1856, in Staunton, Va.

HOLDS UP PATROLMAN; BANDITS LAND IN JAIL

Cleveland, O., Dec. 27.—Patrolman Anahony Green objects to being held up just because he happens to be in civilian clothing.

Early this morning four auto bandits held up the patrolman. One of them is in jail, the officer has another's revolver and the arrest of all is expected soon. Recovery of the stolen automobile is also expected.

CONGRESS MAY INVESTIGATE
SIMS-DANIELS CLASH.



Admiral William Sims.

The refusal of Admiral William S. Sims, commander of the American forces in European waters, to accept the Distinguished Service Medal offered to him by Secretary Daniels, will probably result in bringing about a Congressional inquiry on naval awards.

MYSTERY STILL SURROUNDS THE MISSING GROOM

DOCTOR WHO FAILS TO APPEAR
AT WEDDING FINALLY
LOCATED

New York, Dec. 27.—Dr. William G. Vermilye who failed to appear on Christmas eve at Monson, Mass., to marry Miss Ruth M. Keeney and who was later found in the Cumberland street hospital, in Brooklyn, was said today to be in satisfactory condition. Attaches of the hospital would not explain the nature of the doctor's illness, but said that a minor operation might be necessary.

"Dr. Vermilye is in no danger and the question of an operation will be decided later," it was stated at the hospital.

The presence of the missing physician in the hospital was first reported to the missing persons bureau at police headquarters by a man who represented himself as the superintendent of the hospital.

Dr. Vermilye is said to have told the hospital attaches that he had been annoyed by a Pinkerton detective who was following him and that he wished nothing said about his presence in the hospital.

The physician, who said he is 52 years old, was formerly a naval surgeon, but since his discharge from the navy has been assisting in rounding up extremist agitators. He arrived in New York on December 19 from South America, having supervised the deportation of a "red."

BOY ADJUDGED AS INSANE SATURDAY

Canton, O., Dec. 27.—Alvey Adams, aged 14, son of G. W. Adams, of Paris township, has been adjudged insane by Judge Charles Krichbaum. Diagnosis by physicians disclosed that the boy was suffering from adenoids and defective teeth and had a mania for destruction. He confessed to a state fire marshal that he had burned his father's barn on Thanksgiving day and another belonging to Clayton Hayman, December 18.

FARMERS' WEEK ENROLLMENT 5,000

Columbus, D., Dec. 27.—Enrollment for the eighth annual farmers week at Ohio State University, January 26 to 30, has reached the 5,000 mark.

Among those on the program are Governor Cox, President Thompson, Dean Alfred Vivian John W. Wiles, H. C. Taylor, J. F. Cox, of the Michigan agricultural college; F. A. Wall, of the Massachusetts state university and A. G. Phillips of Purdue university.

PRINCESS SUES FOR DIVORCE
Paris, Dec. 27.—Although only married several months, the princess DeBourbon has brought suit for divorce, it was learned today. Before her marriage she was Susanne Mosurer, daughter of a government official. Shortly after her marriage she left the princess' home at Pont Aux Dames and returned to her parents in Paris.

APPALLING DEATH LIST AS RESULT OF BAD WHISKEY STARTS FEDERAL ACTION

Forty-five People Dead in New England. Fifteen Pay Penalty in New York. Cleveland Has 15 Cases Within 36 Hours.

Springfield, Mass., Dec. 27.—The death toll in the Christmas "whiskey horror" had mounted to 66 this afternoon. Scores of others, many blind and plunged into great agony by a deadly concoction of wood alcohol were reported dying in hospitals and in private homes.

Authorities investigating the sale and distribution of the "fake" whiskey say that indications were that there had been a country wide sale of the bogus beverage. Many deaths will follow before the warning can be spread, they feared.

Springfield, Mass., Dec. 27.—Forty-five persons including several women are dead today in Western New England as the result of drinking "fake" whiskey, believed to have been made of wood alcohol, colored with burnt sugar and flavored with extract of rye. Scores of others are in hospitals in horrible agony, blindness being the worst features of the cases. The victims died terrible deaths, most of them becoming paralyzed.

With the death toll mounting hourly the police and federal revenue authorities of Connecticut, Massachusetts and New York were making frantic efforts to warn those who have the deadly fluid in their possession.

"Twenty-four are dead in Chicopee, 13 in Hartford, Conn., 6 in Holyoke and two in Springfield.

The sale of the murderous concoction has been traced to New York City and several arrests have been made in Chicopee and Springfield.

The deaths began to be reported yesterday by medical examiner Fletcher of Chicopee, a suburb of Springfield. The patients were suffering terribly from the effects of the liquor and the doctor suspecting bad whiskey, reported the affair to the police.

Cleveland, O., Dec. 27.—Fifteen cases of wood alcohol poisoning in the past 36 hours had been reported to the police today. All are in hospitals in a serious condition. Fourteen deaths have been reported in the past month from this cause.

Mayer Davis will ask city council to pass an ordinance regulating the sale of wood and denatured alcohol and requiring the registration of all such sales.

Hammon, N. J., Dec. 27.—Edward H. White, whose son, Charles S. White is now out on bail on a charge of having murdered "Billy" Dansey, today announced that he had received a letter from the chief of police of Collinsville, Okla., stating that the police there have under surveillance a man and woman who have in their care a lad answering the description of the Dansey boy.

In addition to the points covered by the official description of the child the Collinsville chief of police stated that the boy has a mole on the left breast, an item which did not appear in the description sent broadcast throughout the country, but which nevertheless is a fact. The chief also stated that the lad had a slight affection of the eye, which was also the case with the Dansey boy.

According to the police official the boy at Collinsville, repudiated the man and woman saying they were not his parents.

Mr. White turned the letter over to the counsel and has asked the Collinsville police chief for further information.

Prosecuting Attorney E. G. Garfield, who is handling the Dansey case is ill.

Washington, Dec. 27.—Costs of producing coal in each of the 98 bituminous districts of the United States during the first year of the existence of the federal fuel administration, the period when the expenses of mine operation reached the highest point because of war conditions— is continued in the report of the engineering committee of the fuel administration, which was made public here today.

The document gives the average cost of producing coal in each district as well as the minimum cost of operation which would apply to efficient operated mines, or operations that are advantageously placed, and the maximum costs, which in most cases related to small mines.

The figures on the cost of operation were used by Dr. Garfield in fixing the maximum prices that might be charged for coal at the pit mouth by mines in a district.

The average cost of handling a ton of coal in a retailer's yard after unloading from the railroad car, according to government statistics is from \$1 to \$1.50 per ton.

The average cost of production of bituminous coal for the entire country is \$1.60 a ton.

Turning to labor statistics the report shows that the average production of coal per day by miners for all of the country in 1917 was slightly less than four tons each in the bituminous fields, and a little more than two tons in the anthracite regions. The number of coal mine employees of all kinds in the country in 1917 was 760,000.

CAR FARES INCREASED

Youngstown, O., Dec. 27.—Youngstown city street car fares will be advanced from seven cents with a penny for transfer to eight cents with one cent for transfer. This decision was reached following a conference between street car commissioner Sause and officials of the local street car company.

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Local Items

GET IT AT DONGES.

J. Merle Ross, Midshipman of the Annapolis Class of 1922, arrived in the city Christmas morning, and will visit with his mother, Mrs. P. O. Ross, North Galloway street, until Saturday.

The Rev. A. J. Kestle, of Findlay, Ohio, former pastor of the First M. E. church here, is spending several days in Xenia. Mrs. Kestle has been in town several days the guest of her father, J. Thorb Charters.

The annual entertainment of the West End church was held at the Community House Wednesday night and a full house greeted the splendid program. A treat of candy and oranges was given out and "White Gifts or the Kings" were received to be devoted to the poor in France and Armenia. The offering amounted to about \$12.

A typographical error was made in an item in yesterday's paper concerning a contract awarded for the construction of the Weller ditch in Sugar-creek township. The contract for furnishing the tile was allowed to Peterson and Whitaker of Spring Valley for \$689, instead of \$6891 as the types made the figures read.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Patton of Bucyrus, are Christmas and week-end guests of Mrs. Patton's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Tresslar, of the Springfield Pike.

Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Johnson, (Nina Birch) of Ellyria, are guests of Mrs. Johnson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. Birch, of Columbus street, and other relatives.

Miss Alice Andrews, of Washington, D. C., is spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Andrews, of North Galloway street. Miss Andrews has a government position in Washington.

Misses Aloysia Norckauer and Helen Wilke, student nurses at the J. F. Samaritan Hospital, Cincinnati, who have been guests of relatives for a few days, will return to Cincinnati Saturday.

Miss Margaret Kelly went to Hamilton Friday to be a guest at the home of Judge and Mrs. Murphy, for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Baldwin and son Robert, of Chicago, are visiting Mrs. Baldwin's father, Andrew Jackson, in Cedarville.

Charles Wisecup and Miss Gertrude Dale, both of this city, were married by the Rev. Albert Read at the parsonage of the First Baptist church, Friday morning at 8:30.

Miss Nelle Day, of Eastwood, O., was a guest for Christmas and the week-end, of her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Arch Day, of this city.

Miss Charlie A. Santmyer, deputy clerk of the courts, has been confined to her home by illness for several days.

Miss Lois Messenger, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. A. C. Messenger, who is a student nurse at the Miami Valley Hospital, Dayton, came home Saturday to spend a few days. She is resting after an operation for removal of her tonsils which was performed this week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Dowdell of Carbondale, Ill., former Xenians, are visiting here. Mr. Dowdell, who is in try campaign work was lecturer and field secretary for national prohibition and district superintendent in charge of 17 counties in Illinois. Mr. and Mrs. Dowdell are now contemplating going to Australia.

Mrs. Lawrence Shields has invited a company for Monday afternoon, when she entertains in honor of Miss Helene Jobe.

Miss Alice Rinck of Gallon, and Miss Frances Rinck, who is a teacher in the Akron schools, are guests of their father, Mr. Rudolph Rinck and their sister, Mrs. Oscar Shepard.

Pride of Xenia Council No. 140 D. of A. will give a free dance on New Years night (Thursday evening, January 1, 1920). Members and friends of all councils are cordially invited. There will be no charge of admission. Persons not members will not be admitted unless accompanied by a member of some Council of the Daughters of America, unless said person has a written invitation.

By Order of Committee, Sherman Smith, Hazel Gruffy, Mary Shaw.

Regular meeting of Phoenix Rebekah Lodge, Thursday, January 1, 1920. Installation. A farewell social for Mr. and Mrs. Labelle, Secretary.

Albert Murray, 64, room 22, Central block, Dayton, was found dead seated in a chair, Thursday. The body will be brought to this city for funeral services and burial.

A cheerful Christmas message with a sprig of holly was left with each of the patients in the Xenia hospitals by members of the Xenia W. C. T. U., Thursday. Mrs. W. J. Oglesbee and Mrs. Henry Norckauer represented the unions, and visited the McClellan, Espey, Casad and Washington Hospitals.

Funeral services for Myrtle Goodrich will be held at the home of her sister, Mrs. Kelly Mendenhall, of the New Burlington Pike, Sunday afternoon at 1:30. Burial will be made in New Burlington.

Mrs. F. B. Jones and daughter of Decatur, Ill., is visiting Mrs. Wm. Hart of East Church street.

Baked turkey dinner Sunday at Elks club, 12 till 1:30. Please phone reservations. No evening meal served. adv 12-27

Mrs. Richard Mischner and her daughter Viola, seriously burned last Sunday by the explosion of coal oil with which Mrs. Mischner was re-kindling a fire, are improving slowly from their injuries.

Mrs. V. L. Fairies is visiting her parents in the northern part of the state.

Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Morton were Christmas guests of relatives in Greenfield.

Mrs. Richard Mischner and her have as their guests for the holidays the latter's sister-in-law, Mrs. Florence Bates and two children, and her sister, Mrs. William Mansfield, of Columbus.

WANTED—Young ladies to learn telephone operating. Good wages while learning clean steady employment. The Springfield-Xenia Telephone Co. Office over Orphium theater. adv

The Misses Hazel and Clara Brewer of Yellow Springs will entertain at a miscellaneous shower New Year's evening, honoring Miss Marjette Brewer, who will be a bride of the early part of the new year.

Mrs. Theodore Neff and Mrs. F. W. Johnson of Yellow Springs, will be hostesses to members of the Bridge Club at the home of Mrs. Neff, next Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. William Higgins of Emporium, Penn., who is spending the holidays in Yellow Springs, her former home, will be the guest of honor.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Coan of Springfield, were guests over Christmas of Mrs. Coan's mother, Mrs. Ellen Rachford in this city.

Donald Wike, who enlisted in the navy recently and has been stationed at the Great Lakes Naval Training Station, Chicago, arrived in Xenia Saturday to spend a few days leave of absence.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Manor are entertaining Mrs. Shady of Shidler, Ind. over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Mont Manor of Maple Corner entertained Mrs. Frances Shady of Shidler, Ind., Mr. and Mrs. Clint Manor and family, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Manor and family and Mr. and Mrs. O. F. Clemmer, Jr., and family at Christmas dinner.

Mrs. Alva Keiter, who was seriously burned in a coal oil explosion at her home on the Stone road about two months ago, is recovering slowly, but is still under the care of a physician.

Miss Alma Babb, who is a student at the Chicago University, is spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Babb.

Mrs. Charles Hamilton and her daughter, Jane, of Elizabeth, N. J., arrived here Saturday. They are guests of Mrs. Hamilton's parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. S. Mowrer of East Second street.

Mrs. C. T. Legg, of Columbus, is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Mitchell of Collier street.

Merle Ross, who is in the naval service, is spending a leave of absence with his mother, Mrs. F. O. Ross of North Galloway street.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Cleaver entertained Christmas day, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Farnsworth and their son, Forrest of Harveysburg, Mr. and Mrs. Harper St. John and three children, and Mrs. Ora Huffman.

Mr. and Mrs. Clement G. Palmer, 21 Maple street, are announcing the birth of a daughter, Anna Lois, Saturday morning.

At a recent meeting of Lewis Relief Corps, the following officers were elected for the coming year: President, Laura Anderson; Sen. Vice Pres., Martha Kaiser; Jun. Vice Pres., Laura Snead; Treasurer, Maud Burrell; Chaplain, Hannah D. Manor; Conductor, Virginia Ellsbury; Guard, Jessie Lynn; Delegate, Jessie Lynn; Alternate, Virginia Norris.

Mrs. H. W. Anderson of Orange street received Christmas greetings by wireless from her son, Carl M. Anderson, who is 2nd Engineer Officer on Steamship "Knights Island."

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Bryant of 228 North Galloway street, are announcing the birth of a seven pound daughter, born Friday. The little one has been named Dorothy Jane.

Mrs. L. S. Whitmer, wife of Attorney C. W. Whitmer, who has been critically ill for some time has so far improved as to be able to leave her room. Her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Rachel Whitmer of Louisville, Ky., will remain with her for some time yet.

The funeral services for George Hickman will be held at the Methodist church in New Burlington at 1:30 Monday. Friends will meet at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Frank McClain on the Peterson road at 12:30.

Wanted—Young man of good character to learn furniture business. Must be able to drive truck. Call Bell phone 888, Citizens phone 180. adv 12-27

Miss Hazel Whittridge, of Columbus, is a holiday guest of Miss Thelma Routzong of Hill street, and other friends in the city.

It was a merry little party of college girls, home for the holidays, who were entertained by Miss Julia Whittrington at her home on South Detroit street Friday afternoon. Eight colleges were represented among the guests.

SATIN TURBAN TRIMMED WITH VULTURE IS STUNNING MODE FOR RESTAURANT WEAR



The large picture hat may be beautiful and effective as a frame for the face, but there never will be anything more chic and dashing than the small turban. There is something piquant and fetching about a full round face as revealed by the snug-fitting draped turban. This model is particularly good and it is suitable for almost any occasion, but was originally designed for restaurant wear. It is made of draped satin with natural colored vulture spreading out on both sides like wings.

Miss Antoinette Noel, who has been a guest of Miss Mary K. Geyer, returned today to Delaware, where she is a student at Ohio Wesleyan University.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Ferguson had for Christmas dinner, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Ferguson of Yellow Springs, Roy McClellan and family, Mr. and Mrs. Robert McClelland, Mr. and Mrs. David Kyle, Mrs. Nannie and Ella McClelland, Mrs. Laura McClelland and Miss Hazel Bellman.

Stricken by appendicitis after his arrival here to spend Christmas at his home, Joseph Evers, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Evers of Home avenue, was taken to the McClelland hospital, Friday afternoon and operated on immediately. His condition was very good Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Wharton and children, Amber and Clifford, who spent Christmas as the guests of Mrs. Wharton's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Logan, went to Dayton, Saturday to visit Mr. Wharton's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Hatfield, before going home. Miss Eleanor Wharton will remain here for a few days longer.

Curtis Geyer, who is home from Boston for the holidays, went to Cincinnati Saturday to spend a few days.

Mrs. Lelah Highley and family of High street spent Christmas day with relatives at Lancaster, Ohio.

Miss Clara Bell of Columbus, is the guest of Miss Ethel Highley of High street.

Secretary L. C. Tingley of the Chamber of Commerce has returned from Cincinnati where he spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Beecher E. Hess. Mr. Hess is connected with the Cincinnati Chamber of Commerce.

CEDARVILLE

Mrs. Ernest McClellan of Belle Center, Ohio, is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Orr.

The teachers of the grades and high school had a four-course dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Crouse, Monday night. Gifts were exchanged.

Mr. James Hutchinson and his cousin, Paul Hutchinson, students of Monmouth College, are spending their Christmas vacation with Mrs. Dora Kerr.

Rev. James L. Chesnut, who is a student of Princeton University, is spending the holidays with his mother and sister, Mrs. Jean Chesnut and Miss Mary.

Mrs. D. S. Ervin had the misfortune to fall off the back porch of her home Monday evening, breaking her right ankle.

Mrs. Flora Dobbins entertained all her children and their families at Xmas dinner.

Mr. Wilbur Hastings and Mr. John Wright of Dayton, spent Christmas with their parents.

The families of W. C. Hiff and S. C. Wright held their annual Christmas dinner at the Hiff home. Miss Jessie Small of Xenia, and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Townsley were also guests.

Miss Florence Somers left for her home at Republic, O., Saturday, where she will visit her mother.

The Methodist Sabbath School gave a Christmas entertainment, Thursday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Townsley entertained at Christmas dinner, their son, Ralph and family and their son-in-law, Raymond Bull and family.

The high school basketball team, boys and girls, went to Jamestown Wednesday night and were defeated by that school.

PORT WILLIAM

Mr. Orville Ellis took dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Amos Stauffer of near Dayton Thursday.

Paul Garber who is attending college at Delaware, is home for the holidays.

The Princess Stock Company is playing at the Opera House.

Mr. Sherman Wintersteen, Mrs. Orville Brakefield and little Marjorie Wintersteen, are visiting Noble

Black and family of Sciotoville.

Mr. and Mrs. Marion Ellis and son, Guy, of Circleville, is visiting relatives here.

Mrs. Millie Bone and daughters, Misses Mable, Ada and Edith, spent Thursday with Joshua Ellis and family.

Society Items

PLACING NEW YEAR'S DAY

The marriage of Miss Helene Jobe to Attorney Homer C. Corry at Springfield, will take place at half after four o'clock, the afternoon of New Year's day at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Jobe, 127 East Market street. Verbal invitations were extended to the wedding, and the guest list which will number about seventy, has been confined to relatives and more intimate friends of the families of the bridegroom and bride.

FRENCH PREMIER SAYS NATIONS MUST UNITE

DECLARES LEAGUE OF NATIONS OF NO VALUE UNLESS BACKED UP.

By Alexander Ribot, Twice Premier of France During the War.

Paris, Dec. 27.—The league of nations will be of little real value to the world unless it is supported by a permanent agreement between the nations which fought side by side for the right of peoples and justice for all. Who would dare to predict what the world is facing after the awful tempest which has just shaken it? Three empires have fallen and on their ruins have sprung up nations which hope to be free. What will become of these peoples? Will they have the wisdom and the power to develop in peace? Has Prussian militarism, which for two centuries was the torment of Europe, sunk forever in the grave? May it not once again return to trouble us? Shall we be able to maintain that close union among the victorious nations which won the war? That is the sole guarantee of peace.

The war did not result merely in the downfall of empires. It has shaken to its profoundest depths a society in the process of evolution, uneasy regarding its future, marching toward a new equilibrium. It set free the hope of many peoples. It brought to the surface ambitions which had been kept down which did not dare hope for their liberation. The world of labor is upset, thrown out of its old ways. The workers of the world believe, now that they have seen the downfall of powers which they thought unconquerable, that society itself can be remodeled, just as nations have been, and that revolution will not be limited to a change of frontier lines. The whole social order is in danger.

We have no need to be astonished by these agitations. After a storm the ocean does not become calm in an hour. Its waves continue to roll over wide reaches. We must not, however, be afraid of these waves. A society accustomed to the virile habits of liberty contains in itself the means of defense. It will perish only when it abandons them.

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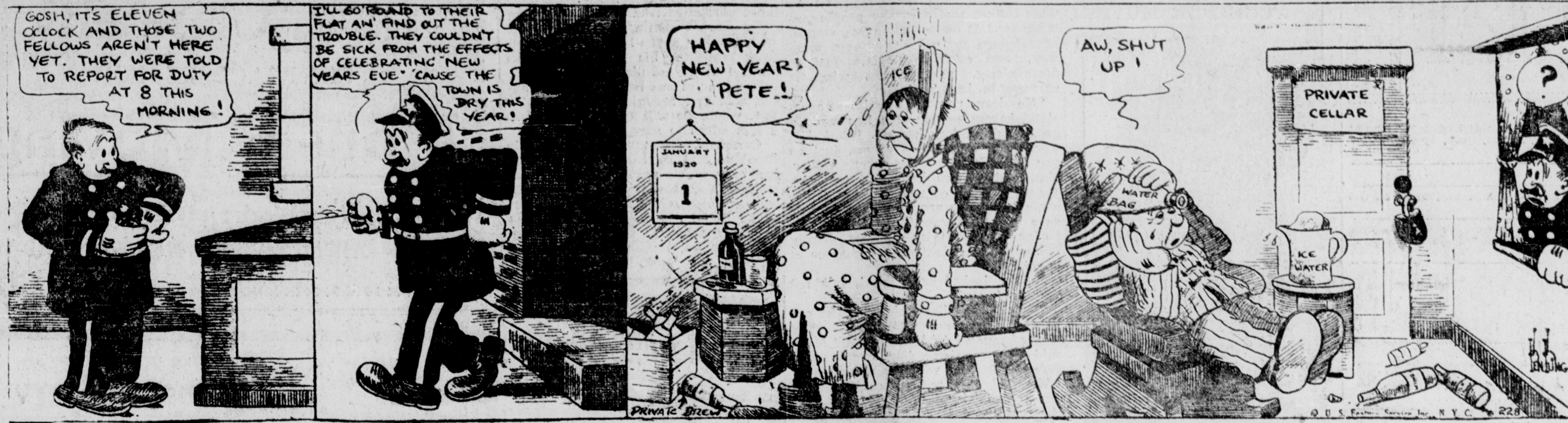


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COLLEGE GIRLS LEARN HOME MAKING AT SYRACUSE U.



The upper photograph shows a group of students at Syracuse University taking lessons in elementary cooking. Below is a class in dressmaking.



D'ANNUNZIO HAS DISAPPEARED; SLIGHT CLUE OF WHEREABOUTS

London, Dec. 27.—The whereabouts and present activities of Gabriele D'Annunzio, who stirred all Europe by seizing Fiume, has assumed the proportions of a great international mystery. The latest report contained in an Exchange Telegraph dispatch from Rome today quoting the Tribuna, instead of throwing light upon the situation only deepened the mystery. This dispatch said:

"The situation at Fiume is unchanged. On Wednesday D'Annunzio promised to decide within 24 hours whether or not to leave the city. Afterwards he refused. His attitude has been obstructing the city's acceptance of Premier Nitti's compromise."

D'Annunzio was reported to have left Fiume on the English steamship Pannonia and later the Exchange Telegraph correspondent at Zara telegraphed that he had landed there and been arrested, apparently by the Jugo-Slavs.

ORPHIUM TO-NIGHT

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REQUIRE 2 BOX CARS TO TRANSPORT VOTES FOR VOTE RECOUNT

Columbus, O., Dec. 27.—Judge Frank M. Cleveland, Clinton county, who will be in charge of the re-count of the wet and dry ballots cast in the recent election in Ohio on the federal prohibition amendment which starts here Monday says that it will take two box cars to transport the ballots.

Just which precincts will be considered first, of the 1,200 which will have a re-count, has not been decided by the judge. It is probable that among those which will be recounted early, are the ballots from the fifty precincts in Franklin county. Officials of the anti-saloon league declared that the results of the recount of the Franklin county ballots would not change the election figures materially, which at present shows an official wet plurality of 497 votes.

Every board of elections in Ohio has been notified by Judge Cleveland that it is necessary that the ballots on the referendum be kept intact until the recount is completed.

JUDGE PRESENTED CUSTOMARY WHITE GLOVES

New Bedford, Mass., Dec. 27.—Judge Frank A. Milliken, Justice of the Third District Court of Bristol, for the first time in his twenty two years of experience on the bench, was presented a pair of white kid gloves by the court attaches, there being no criminal cases for him to consider. Police Inspector George R. Lawrence, the prosecuting officer, presented the gloves in accordance with an ancient custom.

WOULD NOT PUT UP HANDS, SHOT TO DEATH

Muskogee, Okla., Dec. 27.—The declaration: "I put up my hands for no man," brought a bullet that caused death to A. A. Akers, a local grocer, a few nights ago, when a bandit en-

SCHOOLBOYS COMMERCIALIZE SPORT

Lincoln, Neb., Dec. 27.—Schoolboys of Nebraska, Oklahoma and Kansas rural districts have an eye to business. Doubt it? Well, listen.

Youngsters of these three states are commercializing their winter sport by catching rabbits and selling the skins, not to speak of the profits derived from the sale of the carcasses, at nearby city markets, to an Eastern firm, which has a standing order for ten million "bunny" pelts to be used in hat making. The price paid for each skin you needn't know, but it's a good, substantial one.

The movement has the encouragement of the United States Agricultural Department.

GERMANS GOING BACK TO PARIS IT IS REPORTED

Paris, Dec. 27.—The German is slowly finding his way back to Paris. How he evades the passport regulations and enters Paris is something of a mystery. But he is here and quietly and unobtrusively preparing to resume business at the old stand.

You find him in certain hotels and restaurants frequented by Germans before the war. It is not a novel experience today to hear German spoken in a dining room and it evokes nothing more than a raising of eyebrows.

German magazines are making their appearance in the newspaper kiosks. In fact, some of the stands along the boulevard now display as many publications from Berlin as from New York, despite the fact that thousands of Americans are spending the winter in Paris or passing through the French capital en route to other countries. They have been playing German music in the Paris concert halls for several weeks with only mild protests.

The question of studying German has aroused considerable discussion, but the eyes appear to have it. The need of writing and speaking the language of a country whose frontier borders on your own and with whom you must, whether you like it or not, carry on business, is overwhelming sentimental arguments. Every school in Paris teaching foreign languages is swamped with students learning German. And among them are hundreds of men who only a little more than a year ago faced the Germans across No Man's Land.

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WOMEN DETECTIVES TO INVESTIGATE PROFITS

Chicago, Dec. 27.—Thirty women, leaders of the "housewives fight" on the high cost of living being waged throughout Illinois, met here today to complete plans for placing 7,000 women detectives in the field to gather evidence against profiteers.

The meeting today was called by Mrs. J. T. Bowen, and Major A. A. Sprague of the fair price commission.

The women detectives will be selected from every section of the state and will be given credentials empowering them to bring federal action against offenders.

U. S. District Attorney Clyne has declared his intention of vigorously prosecuting all cases brought to his attention by the women detectives.

There are ants in Nicaragua that cultivate minute mushrooms for food in their underground homes for termite.

Another Philippine Product.

The shrub from which the French manufacture the perfume known as cassie has been found growing abundantly in the Philippines.

CARPENTIER WILL BE THE FAVORITE

New York, Dec. 27.—Georges Carpentier will be made a betting favorite over Jack Dempsey if they meet in Europe, according to an opinion expressed today by Charles B. Cochran, the London promoter.

"Europe is wild over Carpentier," said Cochran. "The boxing fans over there cannot be led to believe that there is a man in the world who can beat him. For this reason I will not be surprised to see Georges made a prime favorite over Dempsey in the betting, providing they meet in Europe."

Cochran also threw more light on his contract with Carpentier. He asserts that it binds the Frenchman to an agreement to meet no one without his (Cochran's) sanction.

Dispute Over \$10 Resulted In Murder

Cleveland, O., Dec. 27.—Vida Ozain today was formally charged with the murder of Nicholas Osdrich.

The arrest of Ozain cleared the mystery of the finding of a bullet riddled body late yesterday near West Park. A trail of blood led officers to the Ozain home. It was deserted. A Christmas tree, a score of scattered toys and several empty bottles indicated recent tenancy. Ozain, his wife and their baby were located last night and when Ozain is said to have confessed to the killing of Osdrich, a boarder, claiming self-defense. A dispute over \$10 caused the trouble, it was said.

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CANADIANS MINE "STONE FOR SPINNING"—ASBESTOS

Asbestos Pit
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The greatest known deposit of asbestos in the world is in the Province of Quebec and the mining of this extraordinary mineral has developed into an important industry. Most of the asbestos mined in Canada is exported to the United States and manufactured for commercial purposes. A great American industry is thus dependent on the Canadian raw asbestos.

Asbestos derives its name from a Greek word meaning "inconsumable" and although the knowledge of the fire-resisting qualities of asbestos is very ancient, it is only in the last decade that its multitudinous uses have become a matter of common knowledge. Greek and Roman historians tell that the corpses of their kings and heroes, when prepared for cremation, were wrapped in incombustible blankets to separate their ashes from those of the funeral pyre. Charlemagne astounded his guests on one occasion by having a tablecloth, made of "cotton stone," cleaned after a meal by throwing it into the fire and taking it out uninjured, but it has been put to use only in modern times.

The fine quality of Canadian asbestos and the ease with which it can be spun and woven—a very good imitation silk can be made from it—caused American and English capital to investigate the Canadian mines with the result that great mining camps have arisen at Black Lake and Thedford. Canada is now the center of the asbestos mining industry of the world, producing about 75,000 tons yearly, with the value ranging from \$300 a ton for the best grades down to \$10 a ton for the shortest fibre.

Asbestos is used in making fire-proof roofing shingles and water vermin and fire-proof walls; asbestos paint, plaster, tiles and even asbestos lumber are used in fire-proof construction. It is commonly used for theatre curtains, firemen's and electricians' gloves, firemen's garments, backing and insulation for steam pipes, boilers, refrigerators and many special purposes.

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THOUGHTS ON THE CHRISTMAS SPIRIT.

When once we realize what happened on the first Christmas morning we pass over the worldly meaning of the holiday, and we stand in wonder at the thought of God coming into human life, and we reach out with new faith and hope as we come to know that we are not left helpless and alone, but that God does care for us, and that He is watching over us, even in the darkest hours of our individual and national life.

It is difficult to understand. That first Christmas is a mystery we cannot fathom. But it is a mystery only because it has to do with God and our deepest life. Our thoughts, our desires, our convictions, our emotions, our love—these are all just as mysterious. We are living in the world of spirit just as truly as we are living in the world of things.

Nothing can deprive of joy the heart of him who believes that the birth of Christ was the advent of the Son of God and the gift of a new life to the children of men.

This to the Christian believer is the sacred significance of Christmas. This is the meaning of Christmas services and Christmas carols and the sacred source of gift-giving and merry-making.

The first meaning of Christmas is that of generosity, inspired by the great gift of God to mankind. The selfish sway of the world is broken at least for a time, and the Christ spirit is born in our hearts. Sometimes the exchange of presents is carried too far and becomes a burden instead of a pleasure; but anything that makes the world unselfish is beautiful and good.

No one can really enjoy Christmas who is generous only to family and friends. It is when our hearts are touched by the sympathy that goes beyond what we see that we learn the happiness and opportunities of the day. Blessed are they who have remembered the poor, the cheerless, the homeless, the sick, the sorrowful, the little children who would otherwise waken to empty stockings and broken hearts. This unselfishness is the one power that can uplift and save the world. It is the one divine influence that can give us the vision of eternal things. The world needs this influence through the whole year, with its everlasting greed and gain, with its emphasis on things, with its wars and tumults; it must have the touch which Christ alone can give.

The second meaning of Christmas is that we are all children. All through our lives, no matter how many years may crown our days or how wise we may become, we are still little children living by faith. We should specially remember this fact at Christmas time when we put away the problems and cares and go back over the years to be children once more.

Did you notice with what heartfelt joy the great General Pershing visited his boyhood home, Laclede, Missouri, the other day? One gets down to the realities of life when one stands with him amid these old time friends at the reception they gave him in his native town. It is not that this little town or that Missouri has any monopoly of what is rightly called the "American spirit," for the kind of thing that evoked the deepest emotions of the man who led the American armies to victory is found all over the land. But it was among the home folks of his boyhood, those far-off days of simple things and the truly necessitated "simple life," that the future general, to quote his own words, "learned the deep lessons of patriotism and duty; his duty to his country and to his God."

The poets, artists, dreamers and lovers who make life worth living are children at heart. It is the naturalness of a child that makes it charming and attractive. Men and women who pose as something they are not are soon discovered. When all of childhood is left out of life we no longer see visions and dream dreams. Happy are they who like Whitcomb Riley can enter into the spirit of going "Out to Old Aunt Mary's." (But in General Pershing's case it was his beloved old Aunt Susan who used to make him those delightful dried apple pies, which he so doted on.) The charm of Riley's poems is his youthful spirit. Who can read the "Raggedy Man," or "Little Orphant Annie," without feeling it.

The greatest need of the world today is for the Christ spirit. He is knocking at the door of the world's life, torn and bleeding with war. It is this power alone that can redeem our humanity. Only His spirit of love can settle the great social and economic problems. Only He can help us bring in a reign of peace.

WHERE OUR IMMIGRANTS COME FROM.

From the Columbus Dispatch.

During the last 100 years something like 33,000,000 people have come to these shores. Nearly one-fourth of them have come from the United Kingdom—8,205,675, to be exact, or 24.7 per cent.

The German migration to this country comes second, with 5,494,539, or 16.6 per cent. Italy has sent us 4,000,000; Austria-Hungary, the same number in round figures; Russia, 3,300,000; Scandinavia, 2,100,000, and all other countries combined, nearly 6,000,000.

Prior to 1882 immigration was practically unregulated; no attention was paid to the fellow who came here, further than making a record of where he came from. Anybody could come who desired to do so, and no questions were asked as to his qualifications as to citizenship. After that date we enforced such immigration laws as we had, but until recent years such laws were of little avail. It has been only within the last six or eight years that we have begun to regard those who came here seriously.

But we are going to regard them more seriously in the future than we have ever done. We are not going to try to keep out the worthy peoples of other nations; America will always be a harbor of refuge and a land of opportunity for worthy people from all nations. But we are going to pay some attention to worthiness; we are going to ask more questions and insist upon a closer scrutiny in the future—to the end that we protect this great nation from the undesirable of other lands.

BRITISH ACTRESS REACHES U. S. TO POSE FOR MOVIE!



Miss Eva Balfour.

Miss Eva Balfour, famous English movie and stage actress, noted for her beauty also, has arrived in the U. S. to star in American made movies to be distributed in England as well as the U. S. She is considered many offers.

THE WOMAN WHO LOVED--AND EARNED

By Jane Phelps.

A Modern Story of Home and Business.

Mary Ryan Tells Gerry That Robert is Discontented.

CHAPTER XI.

I had not forgotten my promise to help Mary Ryan gain a better education. I had very little time, so asked her to come to the same boarding house with us. There was a small room on the upper floor she could have for about what she was paying and it would save her carfare, as she lived some distance away.

"It will seem as if I am butting in," she demurred.

"Not if you will pronounce your 'g's' I returned. So it was arranged that she should come and take the tiny hall bedroom just vacated.

I never thought when I planned for Mary, that I was once more wronging Robert, cheating him. We had very little time together, and I was planning to take several hours each week to teach Mary! Naturally it had to be in the evening. Robert made no objection, after the first time.

"But, Gerry dear, we have so little time together as it is," he said. "I scarcely see you at all. Now if you take an hour or more for Mary, where will I come in?"

"But I promised Robert." "You also promised to love and cherish me," he said whimsically, yet with that wistful note in his voice which always came when we talked of the way we lived.

"Teaching Mary, won't interfere with that, silly!" "All right, Gerry, but don't forget you have a husband, and that perhaps he is entitled to something."

"I won't dear."

Long afterward Robert told me that he felt he could say nothing to me about what I should do. In a way he felt that he had no right, because he did so little for me. It took over half his salary for our room and board. I dressed myself entirely, and often paid for any little extras. Then I saved a little. That he also knew, and encouraged me to save as much as I could.

"I wish you could put all you earn away—every cent," he once said, "but I can't dress you as you dress yourself."

"As I have to dress to get the salary I do," I corrected. "Then explained that a saleswoman in a smart shop was obliged to be smart also."

"So she will blend with the shop!"

"Yes—in a way."

"But why work so hard just to wear clothes that only the people you serve see? It seems to me you women have things figured out wrong, some way, work early and late, just to dress nicely. That's about what it amounts to, isn't it?"

"No dear, you don't quite understand how a woman who has made a good position for herself, feels. We work hard to raise ourselves, just as you do. We have pride in our ability also, just as you have. If we have chosen a trade or profession that appeals to us, we are happy in it, just as a man is happy if he is in some business which interests him. Really our outlook is identically the same as yours."

Robert looked bewildered, but not convinced.

"He's just as disappointed as he can be that you won't wear that frilly kind of apron I told you about," Mary said one morning. The evening before she had sat with me for an hour while we both sewed and chatted. Robert occasionally joining in, but for the most part reading—as I thought.

"That magazine was upside down. I saw it when I dropped my thimble. He hadn't read a word. Honest, Gerry Meredith, I am sorry for him. If you won't give up your job, why don't you do two jobs?"

"What do you mean?" "Just what I say. Get busy, learn all you can about keeping a house, and cooking—there I said both 'g's'—then rent a little place, get a young girl, or an old woman who needs a home, and just let that room man put his feet under his own table."

"Don't talk nonsense, Mary. I am going to learn to cook some little things in a chafing dish so we can give a little supper once in a while right here in our room, but I never shall try to keep house and sell hats at once. Sometime—in a few years perhaps—when we have saved enough and Robert earns more, we may keep house."

"Robert is very good-looking, Gerry."

"What's that got to do with it?"

"Oh, nothing,—he's alone a lot, tho."

Tomorrow Gerry is Troubled With Misgivings.

50-FOOT DROP KNOCKS OUT ESCAPING PRISONER

(By International News Service)

Trenton, N. J., Dec. 27.—Risking his life in a fifty-foot drop from a window in the rear of the Mercer County Court House, Samuel De Marco, twenty-five years old, awaiting sentence on a charge of attacking a child, made a daring but unsuccessful attempt to escape. He asked permission to go to the men's room, made a rope out of a sheet he had concealed on his person, and climbed out of the window.

When part way to the ground the rope parted and he fell. He was lying unconscious on the ground when Sheriff Fred Rees found him a few minutes later.

WING MOTHER FOR EARNINGS AS MINOR



Muriel Ostriche.

Miss Muriel Ostriche, pretty and talented motion picture star, is suing her mother for \$32,000, which she claims is the amount due her from the salary she earned while yet a minor. Miss Ostriche, who is a private life is Mrs. Frank W. Brady, wife of a New York stock broker, is reported as being twenty-two years old. She claims that aside from board and clothing her mother kept all of her salary amounting to some \$32,000, all of which she earned by hard work in the picture studios of Eclair, Thanhouser, Vitaphone and Epitaph before she became a star.

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TAKEN TO A HOSPITAL Ossining, N. Y., Dec. 27.—When a delayed pardon arrived at Sing Sing "Big Jim" Cummings raised himself on his pillow in the hospital ward and fairly shrieked his fervent thanks that he would not die in prison.

The convict was bundled into an automobile and brought down to Bellevue, where he will be operated on in a last effort to save his life.

Cummings, convicted of assault in Brooklyn and sentenced to five years, had only a few weeks to serve when malady that the hospital physicians were unable to diagnose. It was feared he would die soon, and as he had only a short time to serve, Warden Crant applied to the Governor for a pardon.

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Nonexpensive—Cut This Out.

Thousands are making this beneficial remedy at home and anyone who has catarrh or a cold can do the same.

Ask your druggist for three quarters of an ounce of Mentholized Arcline and pour it into a pint bottle, then fill the bottle with water that has been boiled.

Gargle the throat as directed and snuff or spray the liquid into the nostrils twice daily. It's a simple way to get rid of cold and catarrh and keeps the nasal passage and throat so clean and healthy that germs of flu or any other germs will have a hard time gaining a foothold.



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Bio-Feren is without doubt the grandest and quickest remedy for nervous, run down, weak, anemic men and women ever offered direct through the druggists and is not at all expensive.

Take two after each meal and one at bed time, and after seven days take one after each meal and one at bed time until the supply is exhausted.

Then if you feel that any claim made in this special notice is untrue—if you are not in better health—if you do not feel ambitious, more vigorous and keen minded, yes, twice as much as you did before, the druggist who sold you the tablets will gladly hand you back just what you paid for them.

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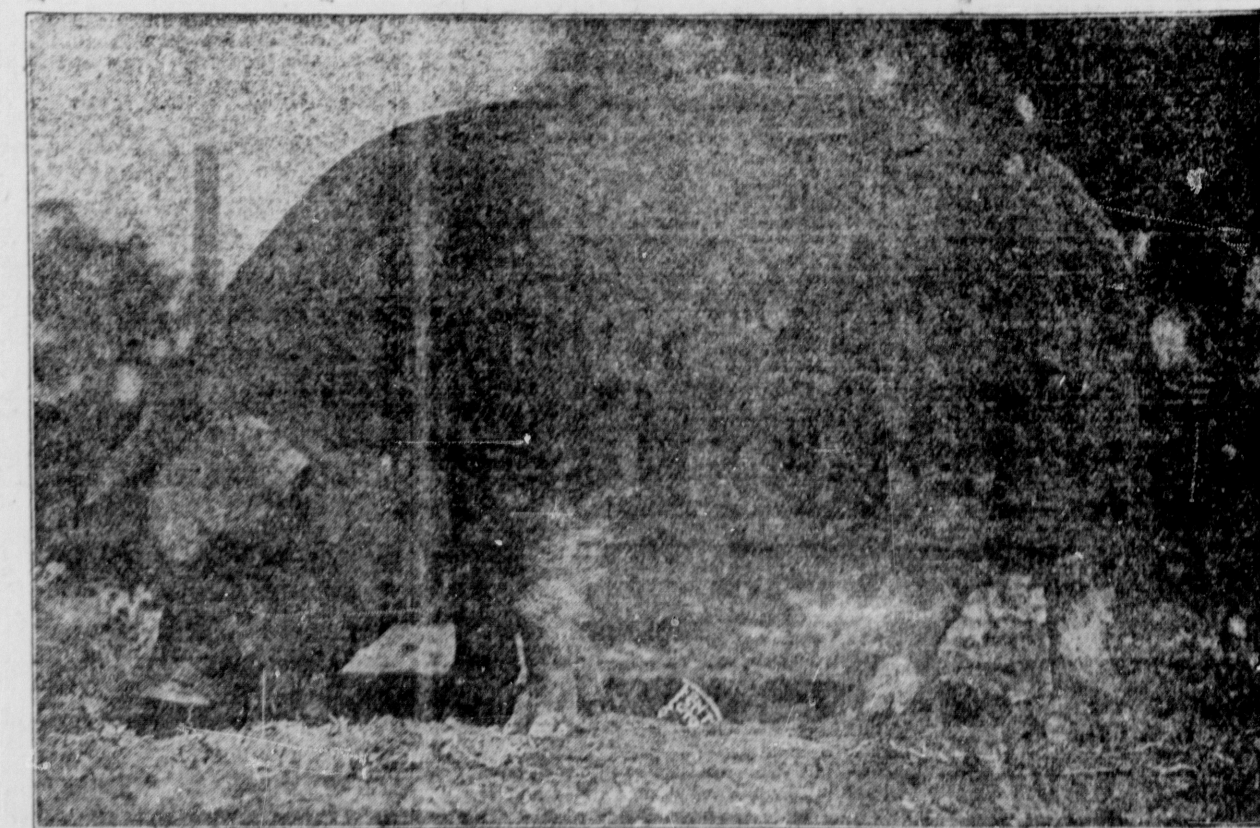
Bred Sow Sale AT OAKVIEW FARM

Six miles south of Springfield, 4 miles north of Yellow Springs, entrance to farm on either Yellow Springs-Springfield Pike or Fairfield Pike.

FRIDAY, JANUARY 2, 1920

12:00 o'clock

60--Head of Poland-China Hogs--60



"CLANSMAN SUPERIOR"

Sale consists of 25 bred to CLANSMAN SUPERIOR. 15 bred to GIANT OF OAKVIEW. 6 bred to CLANSMAN. 14 head of fall pigs, (gilts and boars.)

Mr. Farmer—It has been our experience that pure bred sires will add from 20 pounds to 30 pounds per head at market time over scrub sires. At the present prices of pork, this would mean about \$400 per head and \$400.00 on a hundred head. In these fall pigs, we are offering a wonderful opportunity to get blood lines at exceptional prices.

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AUCTIONEERS—FLESHER, FOSTER, WOODMANSEE.

Sale will be held in a heated sale barn.

FORMER POLICEMAN AT DAYTON DROPS DEAD IN A STORE

John P. Corrigan, for 25 years a member of the Dayton police force and lately night watchman at Adler's Childs department store, Dayton, and a brother-in-law of Mrs. Harry Jonavon and Mrs. George Montague, of this city, dropped dead in the store Friday morning from heart disease. Coroner Willoughby, of Montgomery county pronounced death due to nat-

URAL CAUSES.

Mr. Corrigan was born on a farm in Van Buren town ship, Montgomery county, and was 50 years of age. He retired from the police department, May 16, 1919, and since had been employed as night watchman. J. E. Powers, manager of the store, discovered the body when he opened up the store Friday morning.

Mr. Corrigan leaves his wife and six children, his mother, three sisters and one brother. He was a member of the Hibernians and the Catholic Order of Foresters. Funeral services will be held at the residence, 39 Locust street, Dayton, Monday morning at 7:30 o'clock, and at 8 o'clock at Corpus Christi Church. Burial in Calvary Cemetery.

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MURDER REPLACES SUICIDE THEORY OF YOUNG GIRL'S DEATH

Louisville, Ky., Dec. 26.—Following an all night investigation by detectives, the theory of murder today replaced that of suicide in the case of Miss Elizabeth Ford Griffith, 17 year old fiancée of Captain Geo. K. Gordon, seventh Michigan F. A. first division, who was found with a bullet through her heart in the office of Dr. S. G. Schott, late yesterday.

Miss Griffith was employed in Dr. Schott's office and according to detectives was formerly engaged to him. Dr. Schott found the body, still warm, when he says he returned to his office after distributing Christmas presents. An army revolver was found by the body and was later identified as the property of Dr. Scott. Detectives say the range of the bullet indicated that it would have been impossible for the girl to have shot herself.



KEMP'S BALSAM
WILL STOP THAT COUGH
GUARANTEED

WHILE HOUSEHOLD ENJOYS FILM, THIEVES WORK

Paris, Dec. 27.—A confiding Turkish woman writer, Mme. Tschabaoul, living in a villa at the Paris suburb of Passy, welcomed with delight an offer made by some young men friends to hold a special private cinema performance in her house at which they would show a new film representing a burglary. She and her guests duly laughed heartily over the humor of the film, but an hour later, when everybody left, Mme. Tschabaoul found that real burglars had been busy during the film performance and had ransacked her apartments of jewels and other valuables.

HOG'S DYING KICK SEVERS BUTCHER'S FINGER

Scandia, Kan., Dec. 27.—Harry Johnson, a farmer of this vicinity, met with a unique accident a few days ago which cost him a finger.

Johnson had started to dress a hog just killed by a shot from a rifle when the animal delivered a dying kick which knocked a butcher knife from his hand with sufficient force to sever a finger on his right hand and cut a deep gash between two others.

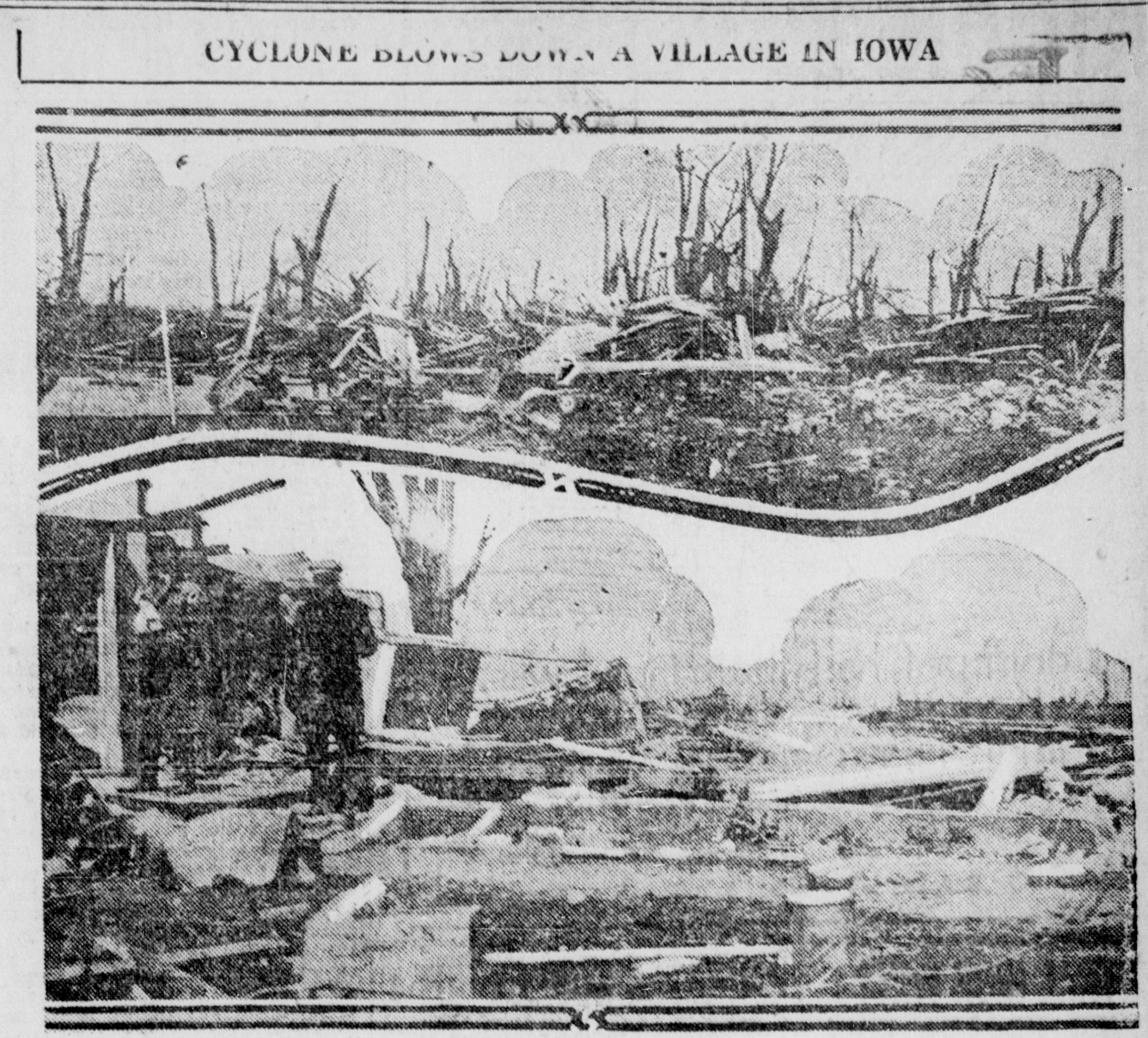
EACH THOUGHT OTHER DEAD; MARRIED AGAIN

(By International News Service)
New York, Dec. 27.—A queer marital tangle in which both husband and wife thought the other dead and married again was disclosed at Riverhead, L. I. Emmett L. Wood, a world war veteran, was convicted of bigamy and received a six months' sentence.

Wood married Miss Allisa Reeves of Sayville, in 1912. His wife left him, and he enlisted. Upon his return from overseas he married Miss Anna Ordoeck, thinking his wife had died. His wife in the meantime had married Peter Murray, of Huntington. She was acquitted of bigamy.

MINISTER WANTS TO HELP

It is only natural that one who has been relieved from suffering should feel grateful and want to help others, Rev. W. F. M. Swindole, 818 Elm St., Macon, Ga., writes: "My kidneys gave me much trouble before I took Foley Kidney Pills. I am ready at any time to speak a word for Foley Kidney Pills."



Nashua, Iowa, as the cyclone left it. A cyclone following close on the heels of a recent snow storm left Nashua, Iowa. No lives were lost, but a number of persons were injured. The photos illustrate how houses in the town were left unscathed. The photos illustrate how

AMERICAN MAKES FORTUNE AS PARIS NIGHT GUIDE

Paris, Dec. 27.—From 9 p. m. to 3 a. m. and sometimes later Billy Murphy, once from New York, wears evening clothes and guides American and English tourists who want to "see the town" around Parisian night life resorts. And he has made a fortune at it. But from 11 a. m. to 6 p. m. the same Billy Murphy may be seen seated on the banks of the Seine, wearing a red shirt and corduroy trousers and engaging in his favorite sport, fishing.

MORE CLASHES IN CORK

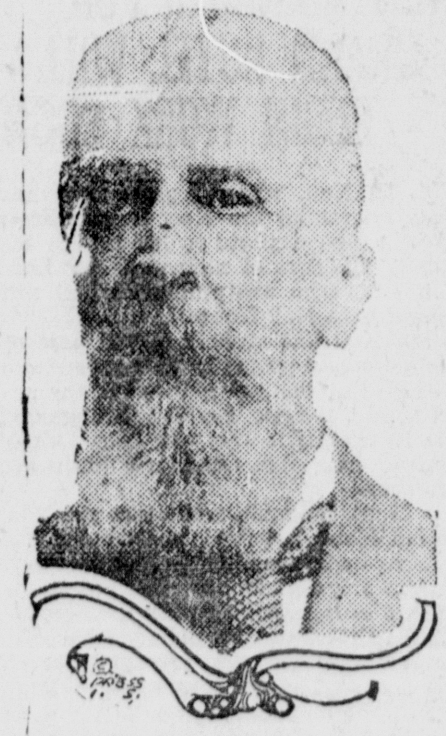
Cork, Ireland, Dec. 27.—The holiday season was marked by clashes between police and civilian population in county Kerry. A police sergeant was badly wounded and several civilians were injured in disorders at Killarney.

REFUSE TO END STRIKE

Cleveland, O., Dec. 27.—Our locals involved in the steel strike with a membership of nearly 5,000 refused last night to consider ending the strike. The two leaders who urged ending the strike were ousted from the union.

Foundation of True Beauty.
The truest beauty arises from a noble character. A soul which is radiant with love and truth lights even the homeliest face into beauty which is not transient, but which grows ever deeper and more abiding as the years pass on.

LEADS HUNGARIAN PEACE DELEGATION



Count Albert Apponyi.
The Hungarian peace delegation sent to Neuilly, near Paris, to receive the Hungarian peace treaty is headed by Count Albert Apponyi. He has been a leader in Hungarian affairs for many years.

For Colds or Influenza and as a Preventive take LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE Tablets. Look for E. W. GROVE'S signature on the box. 30c.

CHURCH NOTICES

FIRST LUTHERAN CHURCH

The church where you feel at home. Sunday after Christmas—Sunday School 9:15. Charles P. Yowler, Superintendent. Morning service 10:30. At the close of this service there will be a regularly called meeting of the congregation when matters in which every member is interested will be considered. Come and see how it looks and how you feel with every member present. Luther League 6:00. Topic—"The Babe Greater than Angels." Leader, Miss Bessie Sheets. Evening service 7:00. The services at this church will be worth while to you whether stranger or friend.

WEST END CHURCH

Corner of Orange and Bellbrook. Sabbath School at 2:30 P. M. Young people's meeting at 3:30. Evening sermon at 7 P. M. This is the closing Sabbath of 1919. Spend it in God's house.

SECOND U. P. CHURCH

The pastor, Rev. Charles P. Proudfit will preach at 10 A. M. and 7 P. M. Bible school after morning sermon. Young people's meeting at 6 P. M. Morning sermon topic—"Prayer and Evangelism." Evening "1920 and New Resolves."

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH

The pastor will preach at 10:30 at the First Methodist Episcopal church on "The Word of God to His People." Special music by the choir. The doors of the church will be opened. At 7:00 o'clock, the subject of the sermon will be "Passports for the New Year." Special music. At six o'clock the Epworth League, Mr. Ed Vorhees will be the leader. At 9:15, the Sunday school. Classes for all and everybody welcome.

Chas. Bennett.
Regular meeting of Xenia Lodge No. 52, I. O. O. F., Tuesday, December 30th, at 7:30 P. M. Work in the First Degree. Visitors welcome. Secretary.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. Albert Read, Minister. Bible School, 9:15 A. M. Worship, 10:30 A. M.—"The Blessing of Bethlehem." Soloists—Miss Harriet McCarty will sing "Jesus Only," by Ratoli, and Miss Ruth Maley will sing "Birthday of the King." Evening meeting, 6:30 P. M. leader, Miss Ruth Maley—"How to Make Next Year Better Than This." Wednesday Prayer meeting 7:30.

TRINITY M. E. CHURCH

V. F. Brown, Pastor. For the last Sunday of the old year, Trinity announces the following program, and extends a cordial invitation to all:

Sunday School, 9:15 A. M. Public worship with sermon by the pastor, 10:30 A. M. and 7 P. M. Theme for the morning sermon—"Undying Devotion to the Right as Manifested in the Life of a Young Woman." Evening—"The Father's Purpose in Sending Jesus; What?" The young people's meeting will be held at 6:15. You are wanted there, and all are invited to all services. Strangers will find a warm welcome in the home-like church.

—Regular meeting of Xenia Camp No. 7004, M. W. of A.

MAPLE CORNER REFORMED

A. R. Lynn, pastor. Sabbath School 1:30. George Copeland, Supt. Preaching service 2:30. Sermon topic, "My Bible and I in the New Year," by pastor. Come.

FIRST U. P. CHURCH

D. D. Dodds, pastor. Sabbath School 9:30. Let us close 1919 with every member present. Morning worship 10:30, sermon by the pastor on the subject, "Essentials for a Genuine Revival." Y. P. C. U. 6 o'clock and evening sermon at 7. The theme will be "The Believers Program for 1920." A cordial invitation is extended to YOU to attend all these services.

CHRIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH

Church St. near Whiteman. The Rev. J. D. Herron, D. D., Rector. Service at 10:30 a. m. Rev. Carl Nybladh in charge. Miss Lucy Matthews, of Dayton, will give the five minute talk on the third of the five fields of service—the Diocese. The music of Christmas Day will be repeated, and in addition a Christmas solo will be sung by Master Powell Stewart, choir boy of the Church of the Advent, Cincinnati. Pastoral Anthem, "There Were Shepherds Abiding in the Field." Solo by Mrs. Sletie, Mrs. Adair and Miss Frances Lloyd, and soprano obligato by Mrs. Gowdy. Visitors cordially welcomed.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SOCIETY

127 East Second St. Sunday services 11 a. m., subject "Christian Science." Wednesday evening testimonial meeting 7:30. The reading room is open Monday, Wednesday and Saturday, except legal holidays, from 1:30 to 4:30 p. m. To each of these services and to the reading room the public is cordially invited.

FRIENDS CHURCH

Homer G. Biddlem, pastor. Bible school at 9:30. Herbert Davis, Supt. Morning service at 10:40, subject—"Stewardship." Christian Endeavor at 6. Grover Crawford, Pres. Gospel service at 7. Prayer meeting on Wednesday evening. Women's prayer meeting on Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. B. F. Botorff on Chestnut St.

MAN DISAPPEARS FOR SECOND TIME

William H. Fogle of Broadway, Ohio, who disappeared following an automobile accident and was found after a state-wide search working in a mine near the Pennsylvania-Ohio line, has again disappeared. It is said, although it was believed at the time of his discovery that he was totally recovered from the effects of the injury.

Fogle is the victim of temporary aphasia resulting from the accident he sustained. His disappearance following the accident was due to a case of lost identity and the young man was unable to tell who or what he was, until he was discovered and returned home. It was believed that his mind was normal again when he suddenly disappeared the second time several days ago, going to Dayton, from where he has not returned. It is thought that when he stooped over to tie the shoe of one of his children recently, that the attack was brought on him again.

The Meed of Praise.

Do we praise children enough? They need praise. No doubt about blaming them enough. One teacher makes a practice of sending "good" notes after a "bad" note there has been any improvement. One had a very unexpected result. The mother was so accustomed to getting the "bad" variety, that when the boy drew out an official-looking envelope, without waiting for explanations she "landed on him," re quote the deeply-injured boy. In the melee that ensued the note was lost. Only a personal visit from the teacher could convince her. The note was duplicated and from its proud position in the Bible is shown to the doubting relatives who used to make life pleasant by prophesying the penitentiary for George.

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Gray Draft Mare, 6 years old. Gray Draft Horse, 6. Bay Draft Horse, 7. Gray Draft Horse, 12. Gray Driving Horse, 11.

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Jersey Cow with 6 weeks old calf. Yearling Steer.

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LEMMIE UP!!

LEMMIE UP--!!

LEMMIE UP--!!

AW SHUT UP!!

DON'T YOU KNOW THE GOOD BOOK SAYS TO COUNT A HUNDRED BEFORE YOU LOSE YOUR TEMPER?

YES'M- THAT'S WHY I'M SITTING HERE - SO HE'LL BE HERE WHEN I GET THROUGH COUNTIN' -!!

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Society Items

GIVE SEWING PARTY OR BRIDE-ELECT

SOUTHERN MAN WEDS SPRING VALLEY GIRL

Miss Mary Alda Hood, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John A. Hood, of Spring Valley was married to Victor Darrell Jessup at Camp Jessup, Atlanta, Ga., on Dayton Friday afternoon, the Rev. M. Huber officiating. Mr. Darrell whose home is in Umana, is a mechanical engineer, and is engaged as an instructor in that line for the government at the training school for disabled soldiers at Atlanta. He is a graduate of Ohio State University. Mrs. Jessup expects to retain her position as bookkeeper for the Spring Valley Mercantile Company this winter, and will not join her husband in the south until spring.

NEW MANAGER FOR GRAND HOTEL WILL BEGIN WORK SOON

H. E. Schmidt, who owns the New Grand Hotel building, has planned extensive improvements for the hostelry. The improvements have not yet started but it is expected that the remodeling will take place shortly after Mr. Leiger assumes the management of the hotel. The improvements planned are aimed to make the hostelry one of the best in cities of this size in this section.

Prince Alfred de Battenberg, his wife

GOVERNOR COX
WILL BE XENIA
SPEAKER SOON

STATE EXECUTIVE WILL BE IN
CITY JANUARY 15 UNDER
C. of C.

The executive was chosen because of his position as Governor of the state and his talk will be purely on non-political lines, his subject to be announced later. The Governor's address will be in the evening, either at the First M. E. church or the Chamber of Commerce, whichever it is thought can best accommodate the audience, and following the reception will be held for the Governor.

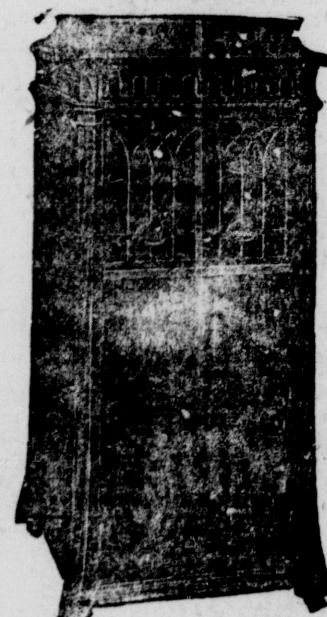
Cards will be issued to the members of the Chamber of Commerce and all admittance will be made by these cards. Additional cards may be secured from secretary L. C. Tingley of the Chamber of Commerce. These cards will be available a few days before the date when it is able to determine the number of people who will be present.

CHARGE NEGLECT IN DIVORCE CASE

Alleging that his wife refused to care for their two-year old child from the time it was a nursing baby, and that she at times refused to allow the child to be kept in the house, Charles E. Hudson has brought suit for divorce from Glenna Hudson, whom he married June 2, 1916. He alleges that she assaulted him with a knife on the street, in October 1916, and that she associates with other men. He asks for custody of the child, Pauline.

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"Please don't run the ad again for the machine is sold," said Mr. Hull. The following ad ran for one week:

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There's a good market for used cars of real value. If you no longer make regular use of yours, or have in mind a more expensive car, use the classified columns and find a buyer.

MINISTER SCORES HOT SHOT AT IMMODEST WOMEN'S CLOTHES

"In no sense of the word are they properly clothed or shod. Their feet cannot be dry nor their bodies warm. It would seem that their aim in life is to invite besieging armies of microbes to fasten upon them and drag them down to an early grave.

"I am told on the best authority that thousands of girls slip into consumption and drop into pneumonia when, if they would pay less attention to fashion and more to health they might live to see a second or third generation."

"I would say to any girl wanting to get married: 'Dress modestly. Bear yourself modestly. Create in man respect and reverence for you and have nothing to do with animal dances or dancers.' If marriage is made in the name of God, our Father, if you will let him, will bring you in contact with the man who will make you queen of his heart and the mistress of his home. In the long run vice cannot compete with virtue. It is too heavily handicapped."

TO GIVE RECEPTION TO SOLDIERS OF SPRING VALLEY

Citizens have been requested to decorate their homes and business houses for the day.

TEAM OF HORSES SWAPPED FOR HOUSE AND LO

The value of the two animals was estimated at \$400.

Ajax Road King Tires

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HELP WANTED.

WANTED—Girl for general housework. Bell 531-R. or 123 West 12-30

WANTED

BOY AGE 16 to 20—GIRLS AGE 16-35 For Clean, profitable employment. A fair wage for beginners. Excellent pay after learning our work.

REPLY AT OUR FACTORY DURING WORKING HOURS.

Robbins & Meyers Co.

XENIA PLANT.

12-27

HELPWANTED—Young man to work in furniture store, good opportunity to learn salesmanship. Call Bell phone 588. Cit. home 180. 12-27

ADY OFFICE HELPER WANTED. Must be honest, educated and good figures. No experience required. Salary ten weekly, increasing to twelve. Apply to Harbin, Allen Building, Xenia. 1-3

WANTED TO HIRE

MAN FOR DAIRY WILL FURNISH HOUSE.

CALL

WHITEHALL FARM

YELLOW SPRINGS.

WANTED

WANTED—Girl for general housework. Bell 81-R. 123 West Market. 12-27

WANTED—To buy three head of mules must weigh 1500 or over and three registered short horn cows. Address D. H. Carr Gazette. 12-30

WANTED TO BUY — A good second hand baby buggy. Call 2-829. 12-30

FOR SALE—High grade Holstein heifer. Call Extra good. Raymond Wolf. Bell phone. 12-30

WANTED—Use for piano for storage. Good warm place, good care. Bell 542-W. 12-30

WANTED TO BUY

600 SHROPSHIRE SHEEP AND 100 HEAD OF HOGS FROM 100 TO 150 POUNDS. MUST BE GOOD.

FRANK HUSTON

Call phone 335. Spring Valley, O. 12-29

HAY WANTED.

V. C. Grant, Citizens phone, Cedarville, Mo. 1-23

REAL ESTATE.

LONG & MARSHALL—Real Estate and Loans. Will buy or sell your property or loan you money. It will pay you to see me. Office 15 South Detroit St. Gazette bldg. Both phones. 6-117

JOHN W. PRUGH—The Real Estate Man. Will buy or sell your property. Money to loan. Twenty years successful business. Office No. 6, North Detroit St. Both phones. 6-117

FARMS FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Fine farm, 130 acres, 2 1/2 miles of Xenia. Good dirt. Good buildings, well fenced. High state of cultivation; very desirable. John W. Prugh. 12-27

1904, 7 room house, barn 40x30 and 11 other outbuildings. 25 A. timber, all level and all tillable, close to market. This is a bargain. Price 15,500, \$3,000 down, balance in 5 years. Also a number of smaller farms. 2 A. 4th good two story, 7 room house, barn, 40x40, 7 A. 100 A. 175 A. and a number of other fine farms. Call and see me or call Bell phone 14-X. M. N. Douglas, Spring Valley, Ohio. 12-27

FARMS FOR SALE

WE ARE OFFERING for quick sale the property of C. E. Trubee, located on Summit street, Xenia, six room cottage, good basement, electricity, both kinds of water, variety of fruit, 5 acres of ground. For further particulars call or see Long and Marshall, exclusive agents. 12-30

FARMS FOR SALE.

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE—Equipped farm, 140 acres, 2 horses, 9 cows, brood sow, chickens, feed and tools, for property, in or around Xenia. Yellow Springs, Cedarville or James-town. Nearly all level, stoneless, fertile land, good pasture and fence, over \$1,000 of timber, plenty wood. Place will carry 20 cows and other stock. House 3 rooms, cellar, poplars, water, woodshed attached. New hip roof barn, hold 40 head stock. 100 tons of hay, milk lot, house, new, chicken, hog house, buildings, good roofs and painted. Could not be replaced under \$5,000. School joins, mail, milk route and telephone line, pass door. Stores and churches 2 mi. thickly settled neighborhood. Price \$6,500. Terms. Owner E. R. Goin, Lisle, N. Y., R. D. 1, 1-3

FOR SALE MISCELLANEOUS

FOR SALE—A No. 1 40 horse power slide valve steam engine, 17 Cincinnati avenue. Either phone 144. 12-1117

FOR SALE—Hot water radiators for heating, also all size pipe and fittings. 17 Cincinnati ave. Either phone 144. 12-1117

AMERICAN ADDING MACHINES added, subtract, multiply and divide. Terms \$3 per month. J. W. Thomas, Bell 202 R. Cit. 201 Red. P. O. Box 100. 12-29

FOR SALE—X. L. Evaporator, 200 buckets, 14 barrel storage tank, 1 barrel hauling tank, all parts complete. 200 spoils. About 100 fire proof brick. Cheap for quick sale. E. L. Hurley, one mile east of New Burlington, Mutual phone. 1-13

FOR SALE—Thoroughbred, white silk poodles, 337 East Market St. 12-2417

FOR SALE—Four gas heating stoves, refinished and tested. Aldine Publishing House 25 Greene St. 12-30

FOR SALE—Radiant Home soft coal base burner, better than new, 111 E. Third, Bell phone 508-W. 12-30

SECOND-HAND Stoves, furniture and carpets, bought and sold. Repairs of all kinds. Terms \$3.00 per month. Connected. L. A. Judy, North King street, between Main and Market, Bell phone 788. Cit. 187. 1-7

FOR SALE—High grade Holstein heifer. Call Extra good. Raymond Wolf. Bell phone. 12-30

PIANO—Fine up right for sale, \$600 monthly. John Harbin, Allen Bldg. Telephone. 1-12

REX VISIBLE TYPEWRITERS Brand new and guaranteed. A course in touch typewriting comes with each machine. Terms \$3.00 per month. J. W. Thomas, Xenia, O. Bell 202-R. Cit. 201 Red. Call evenings after 6 o'clock. P. O. Box 100. 12-29

FOR SALE LIVE STOCK

FOR SALE—Some good ducks, either sex; sows bred or open eligible to registry or registered. James R. Orr, Maple Glenn Farm, Cedarville, Ohio. 11-181

FOR SALE—Blind horse, drive or work. Cheap. Bell 939-R, 215 Chestnut St. 12-30

HEAVY WORK HORSE for sale \$50.00. John Harbin, Allen bldg, Xenia. 12-27

FOR SALE HOUSEHOLD GOODS

FOR SALE—One 1916 Ford with truck body and calf rack, good condition. Price \$300. One Cadillac truck, 3-4 ton, kind has \$300. The Xenia Garage Co., opposite shoe factory. 1-2

FOR SALE—Cook and heating stoves, wood, coal, gas or gasoline stove, repairing of all kinds. Andy Pohl, Second Hand Store, 15 West 8th street. 8-2517

FISHBACK'S NEW AND SECONDHAND Store, 635-7-9 East Main. Buy and sell clothes, stoves, furniture, carpets etc. Cit. phone C3334. 6-1117

LOST AND FOUND

LOST—Small brown leather pocket book in 5 and 16c store. Tuesday. Leave at Gazette. Reward. 12-27

LOST—Large hinge door key. Erwin Bros and Davis. Call elevator or store on West Second. 12-27

LOST—Lap robe between Albert Bick-etta and Xenia Tuesday night. Call Cit. phone 13-353. 12-29

LOST—Bunch of keys. Call W. H. Long Reward. 12-29

PERSONALS.

I AM FORTY YEARS old and would like to correct bad habits. Buy and sell clothes, stoves, furniture, carpets etc. Cit. phone C3334. 6-1117

WOMAN with matrimonial intent. Have a good home. No objection to a widow. If you want a good home write to J. W. Carr of Gazette office, Xenia, Ohio. 12-27

FOR SALE AUTOMOBILES

AUTOMOBILE, self starter, good looker for \$250. John Harbin, Allen bldg. 1-21

FOR SALE—Five passenger ramblin in good condition, price right. Wilson Engineering and Contracting Co. 12-27

AUCTIONEERS

GRIEVE & WEBB, AUCTIONEERS. See us for the date of your P. U. B. L. C. S. A. L. E. Bell 74-R. Cit. 440-G. Col. R. R. Grieve. Col. John L. Webb 17 Allen Bldg. 12-27

JOHN H. WRIGHT AUCTIONEER. See me for the date of your Public Sale. Bell phone 19-R. BELLBROOK, O. 102217

PUBLIC SALE

Have your sale announced FREE in this column early, so that you may claim your date and others will stay off of it. These ads are run every day and are gratis with the large display advertising. We also furnish sale bills without charge. Let us tell you about it.

PUBLIC SALE—Jan. 2nd, at 12 o'clock at Oakview farm, on the Yellow Springs and Springfield pike, 6 mi. south of Springfield, 4 miles north of Yellow Springs, entrance to farm either on Yellow Springs and Springfield pike or on Fairfield pike, 42 and 48th Poland China, brood sows, and gilt Pigs, Fletcher, auctioneer. Sale to be held in the new heated sales room. RALPH HOWELL & SONS, Springfield, R. F. D. No. 9. 12-1117

PUBLIC SALE—January 8, 10 a. m., at my residence, known as the John Dales farm, 2 miles south, east of Xenia, on the Hook road, 5 horses, 3 head of cattle, 4 brood sows and pigs, Poland China, brood sows, farming implements, corn, hay, some house-hold goods. Col. C. L. Taylor, auctioneer. T. C. Long, clerk. Lunch by the Clerk. D. H. PAULLIN. 12-1117

HOUSES FOR SALE

HOUSE and 2 acres for sale \$450 payable \$25.00 down, \$6.00 monthly. John Harbin, Allen building, Xenia. Telephone. 1-12

COUNTRY HOME, house, barn, garden, along electric line for sale \$1,550. \$200 down. John Harbin, Allen building, Telephone. 1-12

MISCELLANEOUS

FARMER'S ATTENTION

A loan made by the Federal Land Bank of Louisville, practically never matures, because the borrower pays a small portion on the principal every time he pays his interest. These small payments serve to pay off the entire principal sum in thirty-four and one-half years. The rate of interest is 5% per cent. For example, the man borrows \$1,000.00. His semi-annual payments are \$32.50. His semi-annual payments will pay off the loan at the end of thirty-four and one-half years. Therefore by a semi-annual payment, less in many instances, then the farmer is now paying on his interest, he is gradually paying off his mortgage. The loan, however, may be paid off at any time, without penalty after five years or sooner, by certificate agreement. It is comparatively easy for the farmer to procure a loan through this bank. Why not change your present mortgage for a loan upon which you can pay a small amount of the principal yearly without feeling any financial strain. For detail, free information, send or write to the undersigned, Morris D. Rice, one boyen, Ohio. 12-27

LOANS ON EVERYTHING. Notes and bonds bought. Farms, houses and land. John Harbin, Allen Bldg. Building. Telephone. 1-2717

If you have butchering to do, call Brunfield and Bagley, Cedarville, Tel. 63 Cit. phone. 1-7

Acetylene-Welding

Broken cylinders, crank cases for gas engines, farm machinery of all kinds, promptly and satisfactorily welded.

Call

E. H. HUNT,

Both Phones. 12-21

TRUCKS AND HAULING.

SEE ME FOR TRANSFER and Storage. G. Thompson. Both phones, Bell 421R. Citizens 56-R. 1-15

NOTICE—I have purchased a new truck to haul all kinds of stocks. Cit. phone 4-519. Walter Weaver. 1-1

MOTOR TRANSFER business of all kinds. Local and long distance hauling. 1402 N. 10th. Chambliss, Miller. Bell 340-10. 1-12

MOTOR TRUCK HAULING Trucks equipped with SHOCK ABSORBERS. Save from jar, stock, furniture, etc. Kelly Ford Station, Bell 488. Cit. 212. 1-12

TO THE PUBLIC—We have a new 2-ton truck at your service with pneumatic tires. Will think you for a call. D. O. Haines and J. R. Anderson. Cit. phone 317 Red. We have trucks for sale. Let us demonstrate. 1-1

FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—Living room for man. Not furnished. Third floor Gazette bldg. Call at Gazette office. 1-1

FOR RENT—Individual storage rooms, large enough to accommodate furniture and other household goods. Rooms can be locked with no danger of theft. Inquire Gazette office. 1-1

POULTRY WANTED.

POULTRY WANTED. If you have poultry to sell it will pay you to call us. Fletcher Grocery, Bell 449 or Cit. 30. 10-2917

WANTED—2,000 chickens, egg turkeys, ducks and geese at paying prices. Market price paid. H. E. Schmidt & Co. 11-1417

BEAUTY PARLORS

HAIR DRESSING, MANICURING, chiropody, facial and body massage. Also make switches. Madame Smith, Bell 16-W. 8-1517

Legal Notice

Milton Hanna, whose last known place of residence was Seaton, Illinois, and Vernice Burkett whose last known place of residence was Seaton, Illinois, will take notice that on the 5th day of December, A. D. 1918, in the case of Gilbert C. Hanna, plaintiff, versus Kate and al., defendants, said action being numbered three (3) on the docket of the court of appeals of Greene county Ohio, and praying for an injunction restraining defendants from erecting a certain fence upon land to which said plaintiff asserted title, a conditional order of revivor was also entered. Milton Hanna and Vernice Burkett are requested to appear on the 23rd of January A. D. 1920 at courthouse, at Xenia, Greene county, Ohio, and show cause why said action should not be revived against them. Date of first publication Dec. 9, 1919.

JOSEPH W. SHARTS, Attorney for said defendants, 7 Lowe Building, Dayton, Ohio. 12-9,16,23,30,1-6,13

Probate Notice

Settlement of Accounts. Accounts and vouchers of the following named persons and estates have been filed in the Probate court of Greene County, Ohio, for inspection, settlement and record, and unless exceptions are filed within ten days after hearing and confirmation on application, January 13, 1920.

First and Final Administratrix, Corneilus Barks, deceased.

G. Glen Atkins, executor, Mary Morris, deceased.

Harlan H. Harris, executor, Elizabeth Dymun, deceased.

M. Lametta Mills, executrix, Nancy B. Mills, deceased.

Bertie E. Anderson, administratrix, William E. Anderson, deceased.

Joseph E. Taylor, executrix, Charles Taylor, deceased.

Wm. C. Carpenter, executor, Josiah E. Carpenter, deceased.

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SAID TO BE SLATED FOR ITALIAN POST

12-1117



Frank L. Polk.

According to recent reports, Frank L. Polk, now head of the American Peace delegation, has been offered the post of U. S. ambassador to Italy. Polk was formerly corporate counsel of New York city, he has been chief adviser to Secretary of State Lansing.

LOST OR STRAYED WITH \$4,000 GONE?

Columbus, O., Dec. 27.—Three local men are anxious to know whether or not there is another local man somewhere in the southern part of the state head north toward the state capital. With the lost or strayed man should be \$4,000 worth of Kentucky whiskey.

The absentee was commissioned to proceed to Louisville and return without delay. He has not yet been heard from. The three local men are wondering whether he really did "go south" with the money.

Freckle Ointment
FRECKLES Positively Removed by Dr. Berry's Freckle Ointment
Your Druggist or by Mail 65c
Send for Free Trial

TIME TABLE

PENNSYLVANIA LINES TIME TABLE.
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Get Your Date Reserved!

For the Big Spring Sale Season

Are YOU Going to Hold a PUBLIC SALE?

Have one of those BIG Sales,
by advertising it

The GAZETTE and REPUBLICAN Way

Have your date put in the "Auction Dates Reserved" box on the front page of this paper. Get your classified ad started under the heading "Public Sales" in the Classified Columns. Get your hand bills, then your display ad, all in good shape—then you are all fixed—you can then sit back and wait for your sale day to come.

FIFTEEN THOUSAND

people living on Greene County rural routes
read our PUBLIC SALE advertising

That's WHY so MANY of the public sales are BIG ones

Our book of testimonials includes names of farmers in Greene County from all classes, poor, rich and prominent and some of your friends are probably RECORDED there. Call and read them.

A SUGGESTION—

"Where did YOU see the last two or three sales advertised — that YOU went to?"

Call--Phone--Write

THE EVENING GAZETTE and THE MORNING REPUBLICAN

Bell 111

Citizens 111

TWO YOUNG WOMEN AMONG REDS
NOW ON THEIR WAY TO RUSSIA



Left to right, above: Arthur Ketses and Dora Lipkin. Below: Ethel Bernstein and Peter Blank.

Two young women anarchists are aboard the transport Buford which is now on its way with a shipload of undesirable aliens to soviet Russia. They are Dora Lipkin and Ethel Bernstein. Prominent among the male

WOMAN HEAD OF STEEL PLANT; HAS OWN IDEAS

MISS SCOTT HAS HER OWN IDEAS
ABOUT HOW TO END INDUS-
TRIAL UNREST.

New York, Dec. 27.—Employers seeking to quiet labor unrest might do well to consult Miss Anne Scott, the newly elected president and general manager of a large Connecticut ball bearing company. Having started from the very bottom rung of the business ladder, Miss Scott knows a thing or two about the philosophy of the working men and women.

Under the guidance of J. J. Rogers, who she has succeeded, Miss Scott carefully studied the moods and thoughts of the workers, and she believes the following rules, consistently applied, will go a long way toward solving some of the industrial problems over which much printer's ink and late oil are being spilled.

Get together with your employees. The fellow at the top and the fellow at the bottom are both fine chaps. The only trouble is that they are too far apart, and their wives and children as well.

A greenback means more to your employee than a green tiled bathroom. He will take proper care of himself if you see to it that he has sufficient means to do it.

Don't let your employee feel that there is anything of paternalism or philanthropy in your plant. If there hadn't been any philanthropist there wouldn't be any beggars.

See that profit sharing dividends are paid each month. Unless the man actually sees his money he thinks there is a joker in it somewhere.

Miss Scott has worked for the concern for fifteen years, and as Mr. Rogers explained it she was "just a sort of general utility man," at first she did a little stenography, some bookkeeping, a bit of shipping and what not. "Sort of a ball bearing device—you understand," the ex-general manager continued, stumped for want of words that would adequately express his high opinion of his woman successor.

"She is a Michigan girl, and after knowing her and understanding her ideals I'll say I would like to have had some more Michigan girls if they were all like her."

Miss Scott, though the directing head of a \$700,000 a year business house, is quiet and unassuming. She seldom talks but then it is with authority and to the point.

The company is practically in the hands of a council, whose sessions Miss Scott explains are known among the employees as "prayer meetings." This council is composed of heads of departments and of representatives selected by the men in the shops. No "outsider" is admitted to the plant unless he has started where Miss Scott did, at the bottom and promotions are actually earned.

One of the employees is a preacher about whom a strange tale is told. A saloon, it seems was opened directly beside the factory. In Connecticut there is a law forbidding any saloon to do business within 200 yards of a church. At that time there wasn't a church within two miles of the factory.

But Mr. Rogers and Miss Scott were undaunted. They immediately had a church located in another part of the town put on wheels and dumped beside the saloon. After a preacher was found it was simple to get rid of the liquor emporium. Two years later the parson was asked to give up the pulpit in favor of a business career, and he has been a trusted employee ever since.

CUT THIS OUT—IT IS WORTH MONEY

DON'T MISS THIS. Cut out this slip and enclose with 5c to Foley & Co., 2835 Sheffield Ave., Chicago, Ill., writing your name and address clearly. You will receive in return a trial package containing Foley's Honey and Tar Compound, for coughs, colds and croup, Foley Kidney Pills and Foley Cathartic Tablets.

WANTS TO FLOAT A \$5,000,000 BOND ISSUE

Rochester, N. Y., Dec. 26.—Eamon DeValera, president of the "Irish republic" who is spending the holidays with his mother, Mrs. Kate Wheelwright, of No. 18 Brighton street, is planning to go to Washington from here to arrange details of the \$5,000,000 bond issue which he hopes to float in this country. He would not discuss the matter today further than to say he has every confidence that sufficient funds will be provided in this country to assist him in furthering the Irish cause.

DeValera expects the British authorities to arrest him upon his return to Ireland for his activities in behalf of the "green republic."

WOOD ALCOHOL IS CAUSE OF 5 DEATHS

Cleveland, O., Dec. 26.—Five more victims of wood alcohol poisoning—the effects of Christmas libations of illicit spirits—were in the hospitals today.

All are in a serious condition, four being unconscious. Police are making every effort to ascertain whether the men drank wood alcohol seeking a "kick" or if it was contained in alleged whiskey sold by bootleggers. The five cases of wood alcohol poisoning reported to the police by the hospitals were not the result of a "party" officers said today after a preliminary investigation as the victims came from widely separated points.

GOOD HOUSEKEEPERS USE BEST
That is why they use Red Cross Ball Blue. All leading grocers, 5 cents.

GIRLS! GIRLS!
Clear Your Skin
Save Your Hair
WITH CUTICURA



Make these fragrant super-creamy emollients your every-day toilet preparations and have a clear sweet healthy skin and complexion, good hair and soft white hands, with little trouble and trifling expense. Absolutely nothing better, purer, sweeter at any price.

Cuticura Toilet Trio
Consisting of Cuticura Soap to cleanse and purify, Cuticura Ointment to soothe and soften, and Cuticura Talcum to powder and perfume, promote and maintain skin purity, skin comfort and skin health often when all else seems to fail. Everywhere 25c each. Sample each free by mail. Address: Cuticura Laboratories, Dept. J, Malden, Mass.